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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE  
COUNTY OF AMADOR, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

IN THE MATTER OF:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING RECORDATION OF ) RESOLUTION NO. 14-010  
A NOTICE OF RECLAMATION PLAN APPROVAL )  
PURSUANT TO THE SURFACE MINING AND )  
RECLAMATION ACT, PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE, )  
SECTION 2772.7 FOR THE BROWN RANCH PIT – )  
BROWN RANCHES, INC. )

WHEREAS, on January 14, 2014 the Amador County Planning Commission, approved an Interim Management Plan amending the previously approved reclamation plan for the Brown Ranch Pit (CA Mine ID #91-03-0016); and

WHEREAS, the Surface Mining and Reclamation Act, Public Resources Code, Section 2772.7 requires the lead agency, upon approval of a reclamation plan or an amendment to a reclamation plan, to record a "Notice of Reclamation Plan Approval" with the county recorder; and

WHEREAS, the Surface Mining and Reclamation Act, Public Resources Code, Section 2770 (h)(1) states an interim management plan shall be considered an amendment to the surface mining operation's approved reclamation plan, for the purposes of that chapter of the Public Resources Code.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Amador, State of California, that said Board does hereby authorize the Chairman to sign the requisite "Notice of Reclamation Plan Approval" and cause the recordation of said document as required.

The foregoing resolution was duly passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Amador at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 11th day of February, 2014, by the following vote:

- AYES: Theodore F. Novelli, Brian Oneto, John Plasse, Louis D. Boitano and Richard M. Forster
- NOES: None
- ABSENT: None

  
Theodore F. Novelli, Chairman

ATTEST:  
JENIFER BURNS, Clerk of the  
Board of Supervisors, Amador County,  
California

  
Deputy

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County of Amador  
Planning Department  
810 Court Street  
Jackson, CA 95642

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## NOTICE OF RECLAMATION PLAN APPROVAL

Mining operations conducted on the hereinafter described real property are subject to a reclamation plan approved by the Amador County Board of Supervisors, a copy of which is on file with the Amador County Planning Department, located at 810 Court Street, Jackson, California 95642.

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**Property Owner(s) of Record:** Ben Brown Ranches, Inc.

**Owner of Record of the Mine Operation:** Gladding McBean Co., a division of PABCO Clay Products, LLC

**Lead Agency:** County of Amador

**Description of Real Property:** The East one-half of the East one-half of Section 30, Township 7 North, Range 9 East, M.D.B. & M, containing 160 acres, more or less.


**Map:** See Exhibit A, attached hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Theodore F. Novelli, as Chairman of the Board of Supervisors, County of Amador, has caused this Notice of Reclamation Plan Approval to be duly recorded with the Amador County Recorder, in compliance with California Public Resources Code section 2772.7.

Dated

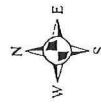
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By



Theodore F. Novelli, Chairman, Board of Supervisors

EXHIBIT A  
Location Map



1" = 2113 ft

